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WREN CONFESSES TO HAMMOND MURDER

IN SIGNED STATEMENT, MIKE WREN TOLD OF THE CRIME

WAS ARRESTED AT GOWER

Prisoner Will be Taken to Clarinda Where a Murder Charge Will Be Filed Against Him.

Raymon "Mike" Wren in a signed statement to the St. Joseph police this morning confessed as having shot Ross Hammond on the morning of August 6 near Braddyville, Ia., Wren was arrested by the St. Joseph police at Gower late yesterday afternoon.

In his statement, Wren stated he and Hammond camped the night of August 5 by the road side about two miles south of Braddyvilel. They got up early on the following morning, about 5:30 o'clock. Hammond was anxious to get started so as to get to Barnard to take in the last day of the picnic. Wren wanted to go to St. Joseph and go on to Gower so as to visit his father's home near that place.

The statement said the boys were quarrelling that morning and that in fact they had quarrelled for several days before. The boys were in a Maxwell racing car which was painted a bright blue.

Wren told of Hammond ripping his trousers that morning. In Wren's suitcase, he said, was a need le and thread. Hammond went over to the suit case and was throwing out the contents by the roadside. Wren told him he would get the needle and thread. Then Hammond commenced to cuss and called him (Wren) everything. While Hammond was leaning over the suitcase, Wren fired his gun, the bullet hitting above Hammond's left eye. Wren stated there was only one bullet fired so far as he knows.. Wren claims he did not realize what he was doing.

After the shooting, Wren carried Hammond to the edge of the corn field near Braddyville. Wren said he was weak, seared and frightened and Hammond's body was too heavy to carry so he dragged it about fifty or sixty feet in the field.

Wren said Hammond was still alive when he left. Wren picked up the blankets and suit cases and left at once in the car for St. Joseph.

In St. Joseph, Wren stated he left the car at Don Riley's garage and then went to the St. Francis hotel where he exchanged suit cases, putting Hammond's clothes in his (Wren) suit case, and then checked the suit eases at the hotel. Then he went out to Gower that same day August 6 to visit his father, Robert Wren. On the following Monday, Wren returned to St. Joseph and got the car and drove it to Gower. Since that time Wren claims he has been at home riding around in the car.

Wren at first maintained his innocence stating he had left Hammond at Hamburg. After closely questioned he finally broke down and told his story.

The St. Joseph police are not yet satisfied as to Wren's statement as

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Electric Theatre

LAST TIME TONIGHT

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DR. F. R. ANTHONY WILL NOT RETURN UNTIL MAY 1922

Business Interest Keeps Him in Fort Smith, Ark.—Had Planned on Returning in November

A letter was received this morning from Dr. F. R. Anthony in which he said that he would not return to Maryville until the first of next May. He was planning on returning the first of November, but his business interests in Fort Smith, Arkansas compells him to remain until next May.

FORMAL OPENING OF TOURIST PARK

BASKET DINNER TO BE HELD THERE ON MONDAY EVENING

WILL GIVE PROGRAM

Invitation Extended to County People to Bring Baskets and Meet With Commerce Club.

A basket dinner, given by the Maryville Chamber of Commerce for the members and everyone who wishes to join them, will mark the formal opening of the New Tourist Park next Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the College Park. The building at the tourist park was given the first half of the plastering yesterday and will receive the last half today, the lighting and plumbing will be finished and the building complete and ready for its formal opening next Monday evening.

It is the plan to make this opening a big picnic dinner not only for the Chamber of Commerce and the people of Maryville but to make it broader and to extend an invitation to every one in the county who can step into their car Monday afternoon and bring a basket to the College Park.

Program for the occasion has not been completed but there will be some talks given. Secretary G. A. Pickens will arrange for the program and he gave it his opinion this morning that other than talks on the care and cleanliness of the camp, the program would tend more towards "red lemondee" and a pleasant social time than towords a set program of talks. The new stoves of the camp will be used for persons who care to try them out. The only definite plan for program which Mr. Pickens set this morning was 6:30 o'clock. the time that dinner will be served.

The dinner in the park will take the place of the regular weekly luncheon of the commerce club.

ATTENDING BOARD MEETING IN KANSAS CITY

H. L. Raines in That City This Week —Board of Optometry Left Without Money to Spend

H. L. Raines is in Kansas City this week attending a meeting of the board of optometry. An examination is being held in that city today and there are some sixty applicants. A dispatch from Jefferson City contained the following:

After years spent in obtaining a law recognizing and legalizing their business, the optometrists of Missouri in the closing days of the regular session, failed to have the necessary appropriation bill passed to finance their state board during the biennial period of 1921-1922. The law creating the board was approved by the governor and the board was appointed. Meetings have been held and licenses issued. The fees, $7.50 in each instance, are turned into the state treasury.

The board was to be self-sustaining, but finds itself in the predicament of having money in the treasury against which it cannot draw, because the assembly failed to make the appropriation.

Oliver Abel of St. Louis, Frank Titus of Kansas City, Dr. A. H. Hatch of Jefferson City, H. L. Raines of Maryville and R. L. Searfoss of Odessa have arranged to finance the board until the legislature meets.

On Way to Colorado.

Frank Duncan and nephews, John Duncan and Mike Price, all of Albany were in Maryville yesterday visiting with Loren Price. They are enroute to Moffatt County, Colo., where Mr. Duncan's son Wilbur took out a claim before the war. He was later called to the colors and lost his life in France.

TO SUBMIT PLANS FOR CENTENNIAL

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE WILL TO CONFER WITH OTHERS

SKETCHES OF FLOATS

Different Organizations Will Be Assigned Episodes and Preparation Will Begin.

Mrs. E. G. Orear and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers of the Historical Committee for the Soldiers Reunion and Centennial, to be held in Maryville, September 7-8, will meet with the committee on Historical Parade and Pictures, and Hal Hooker of the music committee, in the Chamber of Commerce rooms tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock, to submit their plans for the Centennial.

The Historical Committee has made the plans for the Centennial and have planned in detail the different episodes. They will confere with the music committee to make arrangements for fitting music to go with the pageant, and with the parade and picture committee to make final arrangements for the making of the floats for the parade and the assigning the parts and planning of costumes for the pictures.

The committee has gone so far in their plans as to make sketches of a number of floats which will be used in the parade. After the plans have been accepted they will be given to the Historical Parade and Picture committee who will then get in touch with the different organizations in town who wish to take jart in the program and the different episodes will be assigned to the organizations so that they can begin their preparations.

Sketches which the Historical committee have to submit are for the floats of the First Settlement, Transfer of Lousiana Purchase to the United States, Misouri's Petition for Admission as a State, Miss Missouri, Liberty, and Doniphan's Expedition.

GARAGE AT WILCOX ROBBED AND NINE CASINGS TAKEN

Thieves Gained Entrance Through a Window—Finger Prints on Sill Are Only Clews.

Sometime between midnight and 5 o'clock this morning the Wilcox Garage was broken into and nine casings were taken. The robbery was not discovered until 8 o'clock this morning when S. A. Huff opened the garage. The casings were valued at close to $200.

There are no clews to the thief other than two finger prints found on the window that was pried open.

The garage was open until after 11 o'clock last night and people were there constantly until this time.

Sheriff Roach and deputy Atherton went to Wilcox this morning to investigate the robbery. The garage owner did not have the serial numbers of the casings but has sent to the factory for them. Sheriff Roach said that nothing would be done about the finger prints as the serial numbers of the casings would be enough to identify the man who stole them.

J. H. Thompson owner of the garage said that other than finding the numbers of the casings he had left the matter in the hands of the authorities.

MEN WERE BOUND OVER TO SEPTEMBER TERM

Bail Was Fixed at $2,000 and Two of the Defendants Were Able to Get Bail.

The five men charged with the theft of the John R. Hubbell car were held over to the September term of circuit court by Justice of Peace W. L. Johnson yesterday afternoon. Bail was fixed at $2,000 in each case and two of the defendants, Claud George and Charles Whitmore, gave bail while the other three defendants Ernest Jackson, Jess Anderson and William Soloman, were unable to give bail.

The state introduced part of their evidence at the hearing yesterday. It was sufficient to warrant holding the men for the circuit court, in the opinion of the justice court.

Guest at Miles' Home.

Mrs. Margaret Logue of Rock Port is visiting in Maryville with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Miles, and Mr. Miles. Mr. and Mrs. Miles spent the week end at Rock Port and she accompanied them home.

TAX REDUCTION BILL FOUGHT OVER IN THE HOUSE TODAY

Republicans Say it will Reduce Taxes $7 a Person But Democrats Deny It.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Charging that the tax revision bill, prepared by the Republican majority of the house ways and means committee fails to give relief to the poorer class of tax payers, the Democratic members voted solidly against the reporting of the bill today. The bill was formally reported out by the republican majority.

A majority report submitted to the house declares that the tax revision is necessary in reaching the basis in the process of liquidation and adjutment now prevalent but warns that the strictest economy in governmental expenditures must go with the revision.

The report estimates that the bill reduces the tax burden about $7 per capita or $35 per family.

WILL HELP OTHER COUNTIES IN VITALIZED AGRICULTURE

Other Superintendents Will Be Admitted to Short Courses Here in August.

Preceeding the short course in Vitalized Agriculture which will be held in Maryville the week commencing August 29, County Superintendent Bert Cooper assisted by W. A. Powers, superintendent at Quitman, will be in Princeton Friday for an all days session with the teachers of Mercer County. On August 25th Mr. Cooper will meet the teachers of Grundy county at Trenton, the 24th at Milan to meet the teachers of Sullivan county and the 23rd he will be in Chillicothe to meet the teachers of Livingston County.

Miss Gertrude Fulcher, superintendent of Plattee county, has requested Mr. Cooper to admit her and a group of teachers from her county to the short course in vitalized agriculture here in August. She will be admitted but the number of teachers that she will be permitted to bring is limited to four. They have not had the first years work in vitalized agriculture in Platte County. Mrs. Anna Sims, superintendent of schools in Clinton county will be admitted to the short course here. These teachers will return to their counties to give training in this course.

WEEKLY BAND CONCERT PROGRAM THURSDAY NIGHT

Band Will be Directed by Edward Schumacher in Absence of C. D. Kutschinski.

The regular weekly band concert will be given at o'clock Thursday night in the Court House Plaza. In the absence of the director of the Maryville Concert Band, C. D. Kutschinski, who is spending his vacation at Grand Rapids, Mich., Edward Schumacher will direct the band.

The program will consist of the following numbers:

"The Show Boy" —March—Huff.
"Teddy Trombone"—Filmore.
"My Home Town is a One Horse town"—Gerber and Silver.
"Broadway Rose"—One Step—Spencer.
"Passing in Review"—March—Aldrich.
"Rose"—Fox Trot—Beise.
"Floto's Grand Pageant"—English.
"Roses of Memory Waltz"—Hamblen.
"Bright Eyes"—Fox Trot—Jerome.
"American Soldier"—March—Myers.
"Star Spangled Banner"—Key.

Owing to chautauqua, the concert was omitted last week.

SUES FOR $200 DAMAGES FOR TAKING HIS FORD CAR.

A suit filed this afternoon by H. L. White against P. Swigart and Marion Walton was for $200 damages for failure to return White's Ford car. The petition stated Marion Walton was elected and qualified as acting constable of Nodaway township while a minor and while as constable he and P. Swigart without the plaintiff's knowledge took his Ford car and neglected and refused to return same. The petition states the car was taken in December, 1920.

On Vacation Trip.

W. A. Power, superintendent of schools at Quitman for the coming year, will leave this afternoon for a two weeks' visit in the neighborhood of Harmony and with relatives and friends in Mercer and Harrison counties. Mr. Power will return to Maryville August 27 to assist Superintendent Bert Cooper in the short course in Vitalized Agriculture.

P. R. Melvin of Barnard was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

CERTIFICATES ARE SENT OUT TODAY

THIRTEEN SECOND GRADE CERTIFICATES ISSUED SO FAR

ONLY ONE FIRST GRADE

Miss Alice Olinger of Skidmore Is Only Person To Receive First Class Honors.

Some of the certificates for the teachers who wrote on the teachers examinations in August have been sent out from the office of Bert Cooper, county superintendent of schools. Others will be sent out later after the approved grades from the State Teachers College have been returned to be placed with the grades made on the examinations.

"Those who sent their examination papers to the state department to be graded will not receive any returns from their papers for perhaps two or three weeks," said Mr. Cooper this morning.

There was only one first grade certificate sent out from the office of Mr. Cooper, that was issued to Miss Alice Olinger of Skidmore. A first class certificate entitles the holder to teach for three years and is subject to renewal indefinately so long as the holder keeps an active interest in the teaching profession.

There have been thirteen second grade certificates issued so far. These entiile the holder to teach for two years and may be renewed once. Those who received second grade certificates were: Sylvia Rogers, Ravenwood; Audrey Birkenholz, Pickering; Ester Dalton, Sheridan; Marie Wray, Sheridan; Beronica Berg, Conception Junction; Maymie M. Bird, Skidmore; Beulah M. Russell, Hopkins; Mary C. Cain, Guilford; Wilma Millikan, Parnell; Stephen La Mar, Elmo; Bertha Campbell, Barnard.

Teachers may teach one year on third grade certificates and they are subject to one renewal. There were thirty one of these certificates issued. Those who received them were fra Young, Guilford; Bernice Robbins, Hopkins; Ivan C. Mayfield, Parnell; Opal Wilson, Sheridan; Gladys Thompkin, Bolckow; Florence Busby, Maryville; Goldie Cortner, Sheridan; Harold F. Golding, Quitman; Myrtle Brown, Skidmore; Wilma Sherman, Bedford, Ia; Margaret McDougal, Dale Covey, Guilford; Mildred Stafford, Maryville; Mary V. Rasco, Barnard; Ethel Armstrong, Maryville; William F. Tompkins, Bolckow; Jesse Kling, Barnard; Homer Williams, Barnard; Vivian Stingley, Parnell; Bessie Cottrel, Skidmore; Iva Giffin, Stanberry; Merlin Warehine, Ravenwood; Hazel G. Cox, Maryville, Frank Barr; Graham Gladys Smith, Bolckow; Riva Kant, Bolckow; Anna M. Hoffman, Burlington Junction; Goldie Farnan, Guilford; Walden H. Lemaster, Barnard; Grace W. Haller, Wilcok and Maude E. Kelly, Hopkins.

W. H. BURR APPOINTED TO HEAD PARNELL SCHOOL

Will Accept If He can Get His Release from School at Brookings, S. D.

W. H. Burr, who is instructor in rural education at the State Agricultural College in Brookings, S. D., has been elected to the superintendency of the Parnell consolidated school to succeed J. C. Beattie who resigned. Mr. Burr has wired to Brookings for his release so as to accept the Parnell position. The position at Parnell pays $1,800 for a nine-month term.

Mr. Beattie headed the Parnell schools last year and was re-elected. He recently purchased a farm near Plattsburg and will move on to his farm. He intends to give up the teaching profession.

Mr. Burr has been connected with the schools of Nodaway County for the past several years and about three months ago accepted the position as instructor of rural education at Brookings. He taught that department during the summer session of the college. He returned to Maryville recently to spend his vacation here.

The members of the Parnell school board in conference with Mr. Burr yesterday were eSnator J. F. LaFavor and John Blackburn.

Mrs. L. W. Watson and children went to Ravenwood today to spend the remainder of the week at the home of Mrs. Mary Harry.

DEMOLAYS AND EL RETINAS TO CLASH THIS AFTERNOON

Will Play the Game Rain or Shine—Both Teams Confident of Victory.

The DeMolays will play the Cigars Makers tonight on the college diamond. The game has been postponed several times and according to the manager of the DeMolay team it will be played this afternoon, rain or shine

The Junior Masons have a change in their line-up and they are sure than they have an aggregation of ball players that can make the cigar manufacturers go way back and roll their own.

WILL CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

MR. AND MRS E. E. TILTON MARRIED 50 YEARS AGO TOMORROW.

MARRIED AT QUITMAN

Mr. Tilton Has Been City Marshal for Several Years—Have 5 Great Grand Children.

E. E. Tilton, Maryville's best known city marshal and Mrs. Tilton will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow with a family dinner at their home, 1101 East Fourth street. The wedding ceremony on that day fifty years ago was performed by Esquire Hardy Smith of Quitman, at the home of the bride's father, John Brown, one-half mile north of the town now known as Skidmore. Mrs. Tilton was formerly Elizabeth A. Brown.

Mr. Tilton was born in Robinson County, Ky. on February 20, 1849 and came to Nodaway County on October 19, 1869. According to Mr. Tilton, his first adventure after marriage was farming. Later he embarked in the livery business at Skidmore and under Alexander M. Dockery's administration, he served as guard at the State penitentiary at Jefferson for four years. At the expiration of his term, he retired at the request of Governor Folk, and came to Maryville and started in the livery business.

After selling his business he teamed for several years and was later appointed Street Commissioner under Mayor A. S. Robey. He has also served as night policeman, and game and fish Commissioner.

The later position he received when appointed by Governor Gardner. Under Mayor Garrett's administration he was appointed city marshal which position he retained under the present administration of Mayor F. P. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilton are the parents of one daughter, Mrs. R. B. Caldwell of Duncan, Okla. Mrs. Caldwell is the mother of three children, Mrs. J. L. Wilhm of Kansas City, Mrs. W. R. Mahaffey of Protection, Kan. and G. W. Wallace of Mulvane, Kan. The great grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Tilton are Jack and Billy Wilhm, Ada Pearl Mahaffey, Billie and Robert Wallace. All are expected to participate in the celebration tomorrow in addition to other relatives and friends.

IS HITTING THE COVER OFF IN THE MID-WEST LEAGUE

Tom Stinson, of the Townsend retail store received a letter this morning from Homer Black, a former Maryville man, who is playing ball in the Mid-West League with the Sterling, Colo. team.

The season there is divided into two halves and in the last half so far Black has hit 39 three baggers and 10 home runs. He is batting over 400 and is considered one of the leaders of the league.

OFFICES OF COUNTY RED CROSS BEING MOVED TODAY

The Red Cross offices are being moved today from the Anthony building to rooms in the Michay Building. Since Miss Betty Turner is away on her vacation the moving is being supervised by F. S. King.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

IRELAND MUST BE A REPUBLIC

SO SAYS DE VALERA IN OPENING SINN FEIN PARLIAMENT

FIGHT FOR PRINCIPLES

British Officials Take Eamonn DeValera's Speech as Rejection of Their Terms

Dublin, Aug. 16—Ireland must be a republic, Eamonn DeValera, leader of the Republicans, declared today in opening the Sinn Fein parliament.

"We mean to fight for our principles and die for them if it is necessary", he declared. Continuing Mr. DeValera said:

"It is practically impossible to negotiate with the present British government because it is unprincipal. It is like negotiating with a man with a pistol to your head. We are fighting for human progress and civilization.

"The Irish Republic has been sanctioned by the will of the people and the Irish people recognize only the Sinn Fein minister and parliament as their government.

"Premier Lloyd George told the American soldiers they were fighting for the principle of independence and that when they came to Europe they were fighting for liberty of the small nations. The principles expressed that day are ours."

The Sinn Fein parliament will consider the British proposals in secret and then communicate their decision at a public session.

London, Aug. 16.—All British soldiers on a leave of absence from Ireland were ordered to rejoin their regiments this afternoon.

Washington, Aug. 16.—DeValera's veiled suggestion that points at issue between England and Ireland be left to external arbitration which means the United States have fallen on deaf ears here. Official circles are not inclined to have the United States mix in the present negotiations. There would be reluctance to undertake mediation, high officials said privately, even if both countries requested it. Such request is not anticipated as England has never recognized the sovereignity of Ireland. To ask mediation would be recognized.

London, Aug. 16. — British officials are amazed at the contents of De Valera's Dublin speech reiterating the demand for an Irish republic and announcing that the Sinn Fein can no longer negotiate with the British cabinet. The speech is regared as a rejection of the British terms. Premier Lloyd George will not reply, pending a formal communication from the Sinn Fein Parliament.

McADOO WILL NOT BE CALLED TO TESTIFY.

Washington, Aug. 16.—William Gibbs McAdoo, former director general of the railroads, will not be called to testify before the senate interstate commerce committee concerning the merits of the administration bill to extend financial relief to the railroads. This decision of the committee was reached by a 7 to 3 vote.

Arkansas Visitor Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tobin and daughter, Mildred, of De Queen, Ark., are visiting in Maryville with Mr. Tobin's mother, Mrs. M. Tobin on South Buchanan Street. They will also visit with Mrs . Tobin's aunt, Rev. Mother John of Clyde, and with relatives at Conception.

J. W. Cornell went to St. Joseph this morning on a short business trip.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather with showers tonight and in the east portion Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

A Cecil B. DeMille Production,

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

To Preach at Gaynor.

The Rev. Charles E. Graham will preach at the Christian church at Gaynor both Sunday morning and Sunday evening.

Engelmann Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Engelmann have as their house guests, Mrs. Engelmann's mother, Mrs. Henry Buschmeyer of Madison, Neb., and her sister, Mrs. Thomas Conway and two daughters, Phyllis and Deloras, also of Madison.

Wilcox Game.

There will be a baseball game between the Business men of Wilcox and the railroad employees of the same place between 4 and 6 o'clock this afternoon.

Suffers Broken Shoulder

Mrs. Hannah Garten of Pickering sustained a broken shoulder yesterday evening when she became dizzy and fell at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Hewitt of Pickering where she was visiting.

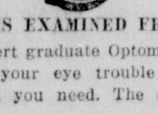
Spanish Ministry Votes Confidence.

Paris, Aug. 16.—The new Spanish ministry of Premier Maure has voted complete confidence in the military operations against the rebellious Moors in Moracco, says a Madrid dispatch.

Rhodes Baby Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rhodes of Ravenwood announce the birth of a son this morning.

Kuchs Bros. jewelry auction sale every day this week at 10 a. m., 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.



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J. W. HERNDON.

Mrs. E. L. Townsend went to St. Joseph this morning.

H. G. Donnell of College Springs, Iowa was in Maryville yesterday.

Miss Della Nash went to Hopkins today on a short business trip.

Edward Condon motored to Rock Port last night for a few days visit with friends in that town.

Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. Joseph Jackson and Miss Esther Saunders went to St. Joseph this morning for the day.

Mrs. Nannie Feuquay and Misses Emma and Leland Smith left yesterday for a week visit at the Lloyd Atha home in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Leonard Leech and baby son Junior, of Dodge City, Kan., are spending a few days with her brother, Erma Hackett, and Mrs. Hackett near Pickering.

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the motive given for the crime would not seem to justify such a deed. Wren claimed there were no women in the affair and if there were women's marks in the corn field it was caused at some other time.

When Wren left the corn field he took the bill of sale from Hammond. The car belonged to Hammond.

Sheriff Borland and County Attorney Anderson of Clarinda went to St. Joseph this afternoon and will take Wren to Clarinda where he will be charged with the murder of Ross Hammond.

Mrs. Anna Hammond, the mother of the murdered man, telegraphed today that she is on her way to Clarinda and would arrive there within the next few days.

Wren was caught at Gower late yesterday afternoon by the St. Joseph police. He was arrested in the telephone office at Gower, where, he told the police, he had gone to notify the authorities of his whereabouts, after having read a story in the St. Joseph News-Press to the effect that he was wanted by the police in connection with the death of Hammond.

Wren gave his age as 23 years old. He is an expert mechanic and was employed several years ago as a shop foreman by an automobile company in St. Joseph.

The body of Hammond was found last Tuesday by Frank McKee on his farm two miles south of Braddyville. It lay in a cornfield, seventy feet from the road. The body was identified by the initials "R. A. H." in a hat lying nearby and other articles containing Baker, Ore.

Investigation of the affair led to the discovery that Hammond and Wren left Baker, Ore., in a Maxwell racing car and that Hammond was supposed to be in Barnard about the time of the picnic.

The Maxwell car was seized by the St. Joseph police and will be turned over to the authorities at Clarinda.

Armstrong Visitor Leaves.

J. E. Sloan of Ontario, Cal., who has been visiting in Maryville at the home of his brother-in-law, William Armstrong, and Mrs. Armstrong left this morning for Kansas City and other points where he will visit before returning to his home in California.

Were Called Home

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser who have been visiting here for several weeks were called to their home in Akron, Colo., last evening by the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Edward A. Hart.

To Visit in Iowa.

Misses Maude, Bertha and Hazel Frede will leave Sunday morning in their car for a short visit with their sister, Mrs. D. C. Davies of Exira, Iowa.

To Visit Here.

Dr. Margaret Armstrong of Iowa City, Iowa will arrive in Maryville tomorrow night for a visit of two weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong.

Mrs. W. C. Ellison, Mrs. Jesse Robertson and Miss Gertrude Condon will go to Langdon tomorrow for a week's outing.

H. T. Madden and John Guess of Albany were in Maryville yesterday.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES AT ARKOE THIS WEEK

There will be evangelistic services held at the Arkoe Methodist Church Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights of this week. The pastor, the Rev. S. A. Rear, will conduct the services with the exception of Friday night when the Rev. Ernest Snider will preach. The meetings will commence promptly at 8 o'clock.

Townsend Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hax Smith and children, Louis, Jr., Richard and Marie Louise of St. Joseph were week end guests in Maryville at the home of their cousin, Ferdinand Townsend and Mrs. Townsend and children. The Smith family were returning from a vacation trip in Minnesota and stopped in Maryville enroute home.

Rainfall Was 1.29 Inches.

According to J. R. Brink the rainfall this morning was 1.29 inches. It was said the rain was very light seven miles south of Maryville. The rain was accompanied by several electrical flashes.

Hopper Guests.

Mrs. Della Boyer and Mrs. L. Z. Ewing of Clarinda, Ia., and Miss Anna Taylor of Creston, Ia., were guests in Maryville Monday of Miss Taylor's aunt, Mrs. N. F. Hopper.

Miss Sylvia Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Collensworth of Ravenwood were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Never again will you buy bargains like those sold this week at Kuchs Bros. auction sale.

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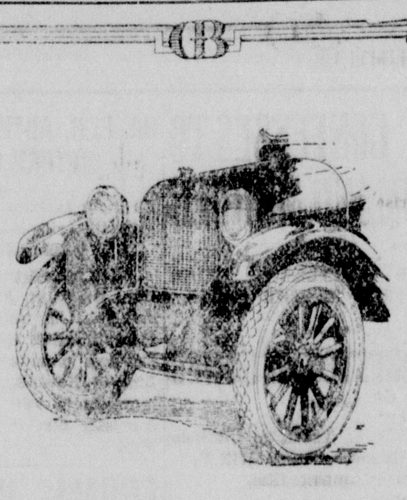

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36 inch Unbleached Muslins, priced at ..... 7c, 10c and 13½c per yard
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Large Size Plain White Huck Towels 23c
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Social Gossip and Clubs

Surprise Mr. and Mrs. Gray.

In observance of the birthday anniversary of Ward Gray living near Pickering, a number of friends and relatives gave Mr. and Mrs. Gray a surprise party Sunday night. The surprisers included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ulmer, Mrs. Mary Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cockayne, Roy and Lyle Ulmer, Robert Chambers, Ivan Cockayne and Ruby Gray.

Mrs. Townsend Hostess.

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club this afternoon at her home. Additional guests were Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mrs. Will Phares and Mrs. Fayette Bellows.

England Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve England were hosts at dinner yesterday entertaining Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence and daughters, Pauline and Ruth, of Ruben, Iadho, Warren Jones of Maryville and Miss Dorothy Cordell of Quitman. Afternoon guests at the England home were Mrs. W. A. Ware and Miss Nine Bowman both of Quitman.

Hackett Dinner Party.

Mrs. Addie Hackett and son Loren, and daughter, Marjorie, of Pickering entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Hackett's daughter, Mrs. Leonard Leech and baby son, Junior, of Dodge City, Kansas who are visiting relatives here. Plates were laid for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Denver Loch and sons, Maurice and Loren, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Shreve, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Moore and son, John Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hackett and daughter, Moretta of Burlington Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Erma Hackett and children, George Burks, Virginia and Galen, Miss Marjorie Dinsmore of Maysville, Mrs. Leonard Leech and baby son, Junior Sant Leech and the hosts.

Entertained at Raines' Home.

Misses Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines entertained with a movie party at the Empire Theatre last night followed by refreshments at the Raines' home and a slumber party in courtesy to Miss Martha Kennedy of Bolckow who is a guest of Miss Margart Remus, Miss Odette Wilderman who recently returned from the East, and Miss Margaret Kerr who is moving to Kansas City in the near future to live. The guests included Miss Kennedy, Miss Wilderman, Miss Kerr, Misses Ruth Miller, Ruth Houchens, Ora Mae Condon, Matie Price, Charlene Pixler, Justine Fraser, Margaret Remus, Dorothy Rowley and Jean Powell.

Miss Tarpley Entertains.

Miss Lena Tarpley entertained a number of friends with a watermelon party at her home near Maryville Saturday night. Music and dancing furnished entertainment. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Danner Brummitt, Misses May Mahoney, Stella Brown, May Sturm, Ella O'Grady, Alma Egan, Edna Sturm, Gertrude Riley, Mary Rose Dougan, Theresa Riley, Edna Tarpley, Will O'Grady, Babe Wright, Amos Shell, Fred Sturm and William and Carl Tarpley.

Party at Kunkel Home.

George Kunkel who has returned from a visit near Ravenwood was given a surprise party Saturday night at his home west of Pickering by a number of his friends. Those present were Misses Jennie and Alice Cary, Mae Pierson, Fern and Ivadell Carmichael, Kermit Cary, Dale and Earl Pierson, Lester Piveral, Virgil Walker and Jack and Raymond Zook and Oliver Kluth.

Class Picnic.

The Live Wire Class of the Christian Church Sunday School at Quitman held a fish fry, potato roast and watermelon feast on the Nodaway river Thursday in honor of Misses Pauline and Ruth Lawrence of Rubins, Idaho. Those present were Misses Mary Neeley, Edess Smith, Grace Malvern, Angie Bowman, Sylva Russel, Edna Colwell, Dorothy and George Cordell, Forest Graham, Frank and Ralph Slack, the honor guests and the teacher, Mrs. Robert Smith. The visitors were Ben Pitts, Norval and Elmer Harris, Charles and Ralph Melton, Alfred and Albert Colwell.

Douglas Homemaker's Club.

Miss Iva Mounts entertained the members of the Douglas Homemaker's Club Thursday afternoon at her home east of Maryville. She was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. J. T. Mounts, and sister, Mrs. Robert McGinness. Those present were Mrs. William Adkins, Mrs. Nelson Adkins, Mrs. Clarence Hanks, Mrs. John J. Gallagher, Mrs. James McGinness, Mrs. William Partridge, Mrs. Bert McDermitt, Mrs. Earl McCutcheon, Mrs. J. T. Mounts, Mrs. Louis Schulte, Misses Grace Adkins, Tessa Adkins, Mary Gallagher, Alma Partridge. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Robert McGinness and Miss Erma Partridge. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John J. Gallagher.

Party at Hinton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hinton entertained the members of the Pickering Needle-work Club and a few additional guests with a lawn party and watermelon feast last night at their home near Pickering. The members of the club and their husbands present were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Noland Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crowson. Additional guests were the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hinton, Mrs. Eliza Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Wysaw of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinton, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Roland Ricketts of St. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinton.

Birthday Surprise.

Saturday, August thirteenth, being the birthday anniversaries of both Mr. and Mrs. W. F. King, a number of relatives gathered at their home in Hopkins Sunday with well filled lunch baskets and gave them a surprise dinner party. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson West, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buzzard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Root, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael, Mrs. Sarah Buzzard, Misses Tressie and Lois King, Sylvia Baldwin, Lela Buzzard, Ruby Baldwin Ruth and Doris King, Elnora Carmichael, Lorena Jessie and Helen Baldwin, Helen Carmichael, Andy King, Frank Buzzard, Delma Carmichael, Loren Buzzard, Champ Rice, Teddy and Harold Baldwin, Charles and Elma Buzzard, Donald Carmichael, Ralph and Russell King, Eddie Carmichael and Harold Wesley Root.

Guests of Miss Kennedy.

Miss Gertrude Wright and Miss Virginia Rose were guests over the week end at the home of Miss Kennedy of Bolckow.

Entertains Club.

The Junior White Cloud Club was entertained Friday night by Walter Logan at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Logan, eight miles south of Maryville. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Strow, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davisson, Misses Francis, Pearl and Helen Davison, Glee Hukill, Dollie Clements, Helen Bolin, Mamie Wolfers, Mary, Hazel and Lera Rasco, Cleo. Hall, Laura Hoshor, Lera Schoonover, Neola Saxton, Bessie McRoy, Nettie Bird, Pearl Bartlett, Martha Ball, Velma Davison, and Ben Bird, Carrol Belt, Floyd and Jacob Clements, Wilbur and Homer Williams, Willie, John and Orville Tompkins, Everett Rascoe, Cole and Harry Yiesley, Truman Clayton, Cobert Elliott, John Thompson, Earl Schoonover, Chester, Homer and Orville Davison, Ray Bartlett, Oscar Hardesty, Ivan Clark and Walter and Floyd Logan.

Guests at Cooper Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Griffith and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Shutters of all Albany were dinner guests Sunday at the C. Cooper home, 1106 East Thompson Street.

Picnic at Zimmerman Home.

A picnic dinner will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Zimmerman near Maryville tomorrow when they will have as their guests, the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Sawyers of St. Joseph, Mrs. Paul H. Sawyers and son, Paul Harold, of St. Joseph, the Rev. and Mrs. Homer Neff of St. Mary's, Ohio, Mrs. Joseph Workman and children, George and Margaret, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. Leslie D. Giffin of Cadiz Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyers and children, Clyde, Mary, Gertrude, Beulah and Robert J. Jr., Mrs. W. J. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott, Mrs. Will Scott, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. C. Neff and sons, George and Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers and sons, Kirker, Harold, and Henry, and daughter, Eleanor Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gault and daughter, Lorena, Walter Scott of Brush, Colo., Miss Elizabeth Sawyers and W. G. Sawyers.

Thomas A. Parish was appointed administrator of the estate of Wilburt F. Briggs who died August 11, by the probate court this morning.

Mrs. Edith Glenn and daughter Dorothy moved into the Hyslop Flats on east Edwards street yesterday.

SENATOR LODGE WILL BE AT DISARMAMENT CONVENTION.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican, will be a member of the American commission at the disarmament conference, Harding announced this afternoon. Secretary of State Hughes was named several days ago.

APPROPRIATION OF NEARLY $50,000,000 UP TO SENATE.

Washington, Aug. 16.—A deficiency appropriation of $48,000,000 for the shipping board and $200,000 for the disarmament conference was favorably reported to the senate today by the apropriation committee.

Have Tonsil Operations.

Four children of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Donahue of this city, Teresa Mae, age 9, Leo Rae, 7; Theo. Fae, 7 Wendall Jae, 6 and Everett Kae, age 4 underwent operations for the removal of their tonsils at the St. Francis Hospital this morning.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kessler announce the birth of a daughter Saturday night whom they have named Zylpha Eileene.

W. T. Wray of Guilford was in Maryville yesterday on business.

Oscar Mowry of Graham was a business visitor yesterday.

Miss Mona Farr of Ravenwood was in Maryville yesterday.

Leaves Salina Church "in a Hole."

Salina, Kan., Aug. 16.—J. A. Dillinger pastor of the First Christian church here has accepted a call to the Wyatt Park Christian church at St. Joseph, and will leave early in September. Mr. Dillinger has been here four years and has arranged for the church to build a new $100,000 building, which is badly needed. The congregation has no minister in sight to fill the vacancy and the matter of the new building is at a crisis, the members say.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith of Quitman were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

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Charles Ross, Secretary.

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Dr. Colle Leaves.

Dr. S. A. Colle, pastor of the McCausland Avenue Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, who has been in Maryville for several days a guest at the home of Dean and Mrs. G. H. Colbert, left last night for his home. Dr. Colle conducted the funeral services here Sunday for W. B. Scott.

Miss Ruth England is visiting at the home of Miss Angie Bowman of Quitman.

Only four more days of Kuchs Bros. auction, daily at 10 a. m., 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

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FOR SALE—Wood stove and base burner. Hanamo 4706. A3-tf

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FOR SALE—Studebaker Six, seven passenger, and Ford delivery car. U. S. Copper Cable Co. 11-17

FOR SALE—Estate Oak Heater, comparatively new. Mrs. Newt Hagins. Hanamo 6316. 15-17

FOR SALE—One two cylinder, two speed Harley-Davidson motorcycle in A1 condition. Carter's Auto repair and Electric Shop, W. 7th. 11-17.

FOR SALE—Boxes and barrels, of all kinds, cheap. F. W. Woolworth Co. A13-tf

FOR SALE — Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A13tf.

FOR SALE—Half section Northeastern Colorado wheat land. Price $15.00 per acre. Terms. Geo H. Meek 13-15-16*

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MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 25,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 20,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000.

St. Joseph, Aug. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,700.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,500; top $10.00; 40c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, per dozen	26c
Hens	19
Springs	20
Roasters, per lb	6c
Butterfat	32
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c

MOTHER TRIES TO HIDE IDENTITY OF SON

His Suit for Her Estate Reveals Pathetic Life Story

Gallatin, Mo., August 16. A life story, filled with all of the pathos, heart aches and emotions of the most pulsating recital of fiction, will be recounted through depositions filed in the Circuit Court here by Charles Baker of Kokomo, Ind., to sustain his suit for possession of the estate of the late Mary F. Peterson. The trial of this remarkable case will be heard in the Circuit Court in Ooctober.

Baker claims he is the son of the Patterson woman. In the will filed by the executor of her estate she bequeathed practically all of her estate to strangers. A niece, who heard the reading of the will, is said to have revealed that Baker was a son.

According to the depositions the woman at one time was a domestic in an Indiana town. She was in the employ of a well-to-do farmer, and became engaged to him. The wedding date was set and all arrangements made for the nuptials. On the day of the event was to be solemnized the wedding meal was on the table, the guests and the minister were assembled and the birde-to-be arrayed in her wedding garments. The hour arrived, but the bridegroom did not come.

Then witnesses in the deposition testify to the birth of a son and the hard struggle the mother had to earn a living and provide for her child. She finally placed the boy in the care of a neighboring family, who insisted he should bear their name and be a member of the family. The mother visited the boy frequently, never revealing her identity, but her eyes following him with a mother's love, after which she would return to her home and cry alone. The testimony of the witnesses will follow the child from the day of his brith to the day the depositions were taken, his lawyers assert.

E. A. Allen of Gentry was a business visitor yesterday.

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PICKERING CHURCH TO HAVE HOMECOMING NEXT SUNDAY

The Rev. W. B. Warren to Speak—Special Musical Program and Basket Dinner.

The forty-fifth annual homecoming of the Pickering Christian Church will be held Sunday. This homecoming day is a big event in the Pickering community and plans are being made to make it a bigger event this year than ever.

The pastor, the Rev. W. A. Chapman, and Mrs. Chapman who have been touring Colorado and western states with their son and his wife will arrive home in time for the services. The Rev. Chapman is scheduled to speak at 11 o'clock. A special musical program is being arranged. The Bible school will be held at 10 o'clock.

A basket dinner will be served on the church lawn at noon. This is the time when old friends and neighbors who have not met for years meet and talk over old times. Last year the crowd was estimated at two hundred people.

Afternoon preaching services will start at 2 o'clock. The Rev. W. B. Warren of Burlington Junction, pastor of the Christian Churches at Wilcox and Clearmont, will deliver the sermon. Special music is also being planned for this service. Every one is invited to attend and enjoy the day. Will Saunders is chairman of the committee.

OBITUARY.

Charles Allen Awalt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezekial Awalt, was born at Pickering, Mo., on March 13, 1875 and died at El Paso, Texas in Rolston Hospital on July 21, 1921. To mourn his loss he leaves his father and mother and one brother, W. O. Awalt of St. Joseph; a sister, Mrs. S. E. Donahue of Ft. Smith, Ark.; a sister Mrs. Frank Adcock of Willow Springs, Mo.; his wife and two daughters, Laveta and Alice Anita. Mr. Awalt was a member of the Methodist Church of Webb City and was a leader of the choir and Sunday School for the past three years and a half. He was also a Spanish American War Veteran and a member of the Webb City B. P. O. Elk's Lodge. He was married on November 30, 1899, to Miss Ethel Latona Kerr at Maryville. The funeral sermon was preached by the Methodist pastor. There were many beautiful floral offerings sent from his home town. The body was placed in a receiving vault until the family determined where to go. They are still at El Paso where a doctor advised them to stay in that climate for a time after which they will go to their former home at St. Joseph. —Webb City Sentinal.

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Goodrich non-skid cord	$41.50
United States Royal cord	$47.70

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All Guaranteed Tires.

Fabric, 6000 Miles—Cords, 8000 Miles.

Goodrich non-skid	$28.90
Diamond non-skid	$27.00
Diamond ribbed cord	$36.50
Diamond non-skid cord	$41.35
United States non-skid, fabric	$27.65
United States Royal cord	$48.95

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Fabric 6000 Miles—Cords, 8000 Miles.

Goodrich non-skid	$19.75
Diamond non-skid	$18.90
Firestone cord	$25.50
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United States non-skid	$21.95
Goodrich non-skid	$21.95
Diamond non-skid	$20.95
Firestone non-skid	$22.45

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32x4 Kramer's rebuilt cord	$17.75
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33x4 Kramer's rebuilt cord	$18.25
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